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APPROPRIATE OBSERVANCE OF MEMORIAL DAY IN CHARLEROI

**Veterans of Civil, Spanish-American and World War
Join in Exercises**

DR. H. W. TEMPLE THE SPEAKER

Memorial Day, established in 1868 in memory of "the boys in blue," who suffered hardship and privation, and gave their all, in the Civil War of three score years ago, in order that the nation might live, is once more among the things that were. The thinning ranks of the veterans of that war, together with the physical inability of those who are still with us and whom we honor--to bear the burdens incident to such a celebration has resulted in a lack of deference on the part of some people to the day and what it represents. There is an apparent proneness to devote the day to sports and divers forms of amusement, and thereby its true purpose is lost sight of. This conduct is general, throughout all parts of the country, and it is to be regretted.

Lest we forget! The day to which we devote our attention to observe the beautiful custom of paying floral tribute to the gallant boys who fought and died for the best interests of all, should be perpetuated, both in principle and fact. It is the least we can do, and we should do it gladly and to the utmost of our ability. We should dedicate ourselves anew to the ideals for which they fought, and by so doing, improve our citizenship.

The parade formed at the borough building and moved promptly at the hour announced--ten o'clock. The Ellsworth band headed the procession and discoursed sweet music all along the line of march. They were followed by two automobiles, carrying members of the G. A. R., and after them came the army and navy veterans of the late war, under command of Captain Edwin Patton, with Majors Edwin J. McKay and H. J. Repman in line. The men, about forty in number, presented a fine appearance. A troop of Boy Scouts in charge of Scoutmaster Charles Pollock, preceded the members of the Board of Education, and the school children, of whom there were about two hundred and fifty, who marched in fours. They carried flags and wore poppies, the gift of the local committee, and were under the direction of Prof. I. T. Daniel.

After leaving the borough building the procession moved along Fallowfield avenue to Second street, then up to Washington avenue, and along Washington avenue to Ninth street, down Ninth street to Fallowfield avenue, along Fallowfield avenue to a Tenth street, down Tenth street and McKean avenue, where it counter-marched to the corner of Fifth street and McKean avenue, where the exercises took place. After a selection by the band, the children sang two verses of "America." The Rev. R. J. Shields offered the invocation, after which Dr. Repman, in a few words, introduced the speaker of the occasion.

**WINS FIRST PRIZE
IN ESSAY CONTEST**

Phelps Sample, of Charleroi, was winner of first prize in an essay contest under the auspices of the Monessen Trust company, the subject being "Why a Trust company should be appointed administrator, executor or guardian." The contribution offered by Phelps Sample was passed upon by a committee composed of Supt. H. E. Gress, of the Monessen Public Schools; W. H. Cober and G. H. Thomas, who awarded the first prize, a \$10 gold piece to the Charleroi boy.

STATE COPS AFTER RECKLESS DRIVERS

A crusade against automobile speeders is on in Fayette county, and already State troopers working out of Uniontown and New Salem have made three hundred informations for infractions of the motor laws of the State. Sixty warrants have been sworn out by a Uniontown Justice while 240 have been issued by a Justice at New Salem.

Owing to numerous complaints made to the authorities the state police were directed several weeks ago to break up a practice which had grown to large proportions in Fayette county, as residents claimed life and limb were jeopardized by reckless motorists. The campaign against these ready, according to authorities, results are very apparent.

The Little Light Bearers party of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society will be held at the Methodist church tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. All children under 10 years are requested to be present.

Congressman W. H. Temple. The latter spoke but briefly, due to the fact that he was to be in Monongahela at noon, where he was scheduled to speak at the dedication of the soldiers' monument; yet, he said a great deal that was of importance to the soldier boys, in matters pertaining to their financial relation to the government. He eulogized the men who had made the supreme sacrifice, and highly commended those who were patriotic enough to respond to their country's call. In this connection, he said: "God grant that no American would ever prove himself so unpatriotic as to fail to heed his country's call," and then supplemented this remark with the words, "God grant that there be no future calls." He was listened to with respectful attention, notwithstanding the fact that the sun was shedding its rays in a manner which was far from being comfortable for those within hearing of his voice. After the playing of the "Star Spangled Banner," by the band during which time the flag on the mast pole was lowered and raised, the Rev. Father Welch pronounced the benediction. The firing of three volleys and the sounding of taps concluded the ceremonies.

CALIFORNIA PREACHER DIES IN M'KEESPORT

Rev. Horace C. Currie, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of California, died on Monday following an operation at the McKeesport hospital on Saturday last when one of his legs was amputated.

Mr. Currie, during his pastorate at California, had been most successful and at the last meeting of the Washington Presbytery had asked that body to hold its fall meeting in his church in order that they might celebrate the cancellation of a debt that had been on the congregation.

He is survived by two sons, both of them married, his wife having died a number of years ago. The body was taken to the home of a son in Piquette, where it will remain until Wednesday morning, when it will be taken to his former home in Kent, O., for funeral services and interment.

**SIMONS-NOBLE NUPTIALS
AT CUMBERLAND, MD**

Tuesday afternoon, May 24, in the parlors of a hotel in Cumberland, Md., Charles Dewey Simons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Simons of Washington, Pa., and Miss Madalyn Noble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Noble of Charleroi, were united in marriage by the Rev. Dr. M. L. Emborn, pastor of the Lutheran church of Cumberland. The couple were unattended and immediately after the ceremony left on a brief wedding trip. Upon their return they will go to housekeeping in Washington. The young couple are well known in Washington, Mr. Simons being engaged in auto repair work, while his bride has been teaching music in Washington for some time.

**AWARDS CONTRACT FOR
NEW STATE HIGHWAY**

The State Highway Department has let the contract for the construction of the Perryopolis-Star Junction road to the Conmar Construction company of Fayette City, and the contractors expect to begin work at once in the hope of completing the job by fall. The contract price for the improvement is \$162,000 and will be three miles in length.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
TO HOLD LOWN FETE**

The ladies of the First Christian church will hold a lawn fete at Overbrook Farm, the country home of Theodore Allen Thursday evening, June 2nd. Come and bring your friends. Take Charleroi Bentleyville car. 303-13.

Alexander Ferguson
Alexander Ferguson, died at his home, Fifth street, near Fallowfield avenue, Sunday, May 29, at 3:20 p. m., aged 70 years. Funeral services at the home, Wednesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, interment, at Fayette City.

You will want your porch to look as nice as your parlor. Let us call and get those porch runners and clean them. They will then look like new ones. All work will prove satisfactory. Electric Carpet Cleaning Company, Raymond L. Yenny, Manager, 719 Fallowfield avenue. Local Phone 285 30113.

GOLF LINKS PROVED TO BE VERY POPULAR

Attendance at the Monongahela Valley and Nemacolin Country Clubs on Monday was very large, the day proving most attractive. At the Monongahela course there were two contests for golfers, a handicap medal play in the morning and a flag tournament in the afternoon. Entrants for both events were numerous and some very good scores were made. The facilities of the club house were greatly enjoyed by the members, and many spent most of the day enjoying the outing at this very desirable place.

At the Nemacolin course members thronged the course from early morning until late in the evening, and while it was necessary to use the temporary course, the members were given a view of the new 18-hole course now rapidly approaching completion, and which is expected to be ready for use some time late in the summer.

**ROME SUNDAY FROM
EASTERN AUTO TRIP**

Lawrence B. Frye, C. S. McKean, Carl Wertz, John H. Frye, Charles Steele and James Stevenson, who composed an automobile party, returned Sunday evening from a very delightful trip to eastern points and the Atlantic coasts. The trip was made both ways by way of the National Pike to Baltimore, and thence over the Rising Sun highway to Philadelphia. While in the east they attended the Knights Templar Conclave in Philadelphia, and later went to Atlantic City, where Mr. McKean attended the Bankers' convention. They also visited Cape May and Wildwood and returned to Baltimore by way of Wilmington, Del.

**POWER PLANTS ARE
OPERATING AT MARIANNA**

With the power plant and pumps again in operation Marianna returned to almost normal conditions on Monday, and the town united in observing Memorial day. Troubles which caused the closing of the power plants seem to have been adjusted. The situation for a time was really serious, as lack of water supply was causing sanitary conditions to become very bad.

**FUNERAL OF ARD M.
HOSACK THIS MORNING**

Funeral services for Ard M. Hosack, who died at his home in Scenery Hill last Saturday morning, took place this morning at 11 o'clock at his late home, conducted by Rev. J. J. Davis, of the M. E. church. Interment followed later at Scenery Hill cemetery.

**LOCAL RUNNERS IN
MARATHON RACE**

In the Marathon race held in Pittsburgh on Monday, from Fifth avenue and Wood street, to Kennywood park, a number of local runners took good places in the event. A. J. McCawley, of Fayette City, finished third, Earl McGuire of Charleroi fourth; Donald Allen of Charleroi, eighth, and Edward Schramko of Charleroi tenth.

Miss Freda Painter of Avalon, was a week end guest at the home of Mrs. Willis McCook of Crest avenue.

VETERANS ATTEND DIVINE SERVICES SUNDAY MORNING

**FAIRMONT DEDICATES
MILLION-DOLLAR BRIDGE**

A new Memorial bridge, erected to the memory of World War veterans of Marion county, West Virginia, was dedicated on Monday at Fairmont, with impressive ceremonies. The exercises were attended by a number of distinguished personages, among them Charles M. Schwab, Col. Schomaker of the Lake Erie, Governor Morgan and United States Senator Sutherland of West Virginia. It is estimated that 20,000 visitors were in the city for the dedication ceremonies.

DEDICATION OF A WAR MEMORIAL

Monongahela observed Memorial Day on Monday with a double celebration. In the morning the veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic, assisted by the Spanish-American War veterans, and by World War veterans, carried out the program which the men of the 60's have been observing ever since the institution of Memorial Day in 1868. The parade formed and marched to the cemetery where the annual Memorial address was made by the Rev. Mr. Paul of the Methodist church, after which the graves of those who have answered the "long roll" were strewn with flowers.

In the afternoon the dedication of the Memorial tablet and monument to the men of the World War took place. The Memorial is placed in front of city hall, and is a very impressive piece of work. The base is a huge granite block, surmounted by the figure of Victory. The tablets bearing the names of the men from Monongahela, portions of Edwin Patton read the poem, "In Carroll township, this county, and Flanders Field," and placed poppies in memory of World War boys. Special music was given in form of a solo by Marion under accompaniment by Mrs. Clifford Robertson. Bouquets were presented each veteran by Mrs. Emma Dawson. At the close of the service the large audience rose, saluted and pledged allegiance to the flag. The service throughout was characterized by a fine spirit of patriotism and made a good beginning for the public service, which was held on the morning of Memorial Day.

**MEMORIAL DAY MORE
GENERALLY OBSERVED**

Reports from towns throughout the valley indicate that Memorial Day was more generally observed this year by veterans than for some years past. World War veterans generally participated in the exercises, and with the passing of the veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic the duty of observing this day will more and more devolve upon younger shoulders. It is anticipated that during the coming year a large number of Grand Army Post will be compelled to give up their charters because of the death of members. The toll during the past year has been quite heavy.

**Sermon Delivered by Rev. J.
R. Burson in Washing-
ton Ave. Church**

PART IS TAKEN BY VETERANS

The sermon to the War Veterans by the Rev. John R. Burson, in the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church, Sunday morning, was an appeal for loyalty to the flag in these days of reconstruction. A democracy is not a finished form of government, said the speaker, but a spirit which every generation incarnates into law and order for the highest good of society in general.

President Harding said before the 000 caskets at Hoboken recently, "This must not be again," so let us all join in a plea for the settlement of disputes by arbitration rather than by force of arms.

That the old soldiers are fast passing away was plainly seen by the remnant present from the Grand Army of the Republic. A detail from the World War veterans had their seats immediately behind the older men, while others were scattered throughout the audience. The room was decorated with the military colors and a memorial wreath in the center was flanked on either side by large bouquets while in front were three vases hidden by red, white and blue domes.

Major H. J. Repman, representing the Revolutionary war dead, read a poem, "The New England Dead," and placed lilies to their memory. Major Edwin McKay represented the Spanish-American and Civil War dead with roses, and gave the poem "The Blue and the Gray." Captain Edwin Patton read the poem, "In Carroll township, this county, and Flanders Field," and placed poppies in memory of World War boys. Special music was given in form of a solo by Marion under accompaniment by Mrs. Clifford Robertson. Bouquets were presented each veteran by Mrs. Emma Dawson. At the close of the service the large audience rose, saluted and pledged allegiance to the flag. The service throughout was characterized by a fine spirit of patriotism and made a good beginning for the public service, which was held on the morning of Memorial Day.

**GOOD TIME MADE BY
LOCAL HOMING PIGEONS**

The Charleroi Homing Club held its fourth race of the year from Xenia, Ohio, a distance of 214 miles air line. The birds finished in the following order: P. Baynes, Riffles, 1152.48 yards per minute; P. J. McGuire, Big Blue, 1092.09 yards per minute; John Vegso, Silver King 977.36 yards per minute. Birds of August Arrigo and Roy Acker reported later. They also made good time. The next fly will be held from Greenfield, Ind., a distance of 300 miles air line.

Notice To Firemen
All firemen are requested to report for practice tonight at 8 o'clock.

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MME. CURIE WANTS TO KNOW.

In spite of her wonderful achievements in science, Mme. Curie does not keep her inquiring mind cooped up in the laboratory and exhibits a keen interest in things in general. Now that she is in this country she seeks accurate information about certain American questions. She wants to know, for example, what is the exact difference between the Republican and Democratic parties and confesses that she is "puzzled" about them—a perplexity, by the way, that is shared by a good many Americans. During the campaign last year the difference appeared to be very great, but it has seemed less marked since a Republican administration has been adopting one Democratic foreign policy after another. Mme. Curie says she had understood that the two great parties were divided on the question of State rights during the Civil War but of late she has found it "hard to make a distinction between them" and she is desirous to learn "just what the difference is."

She remarked that she wanted to ask Vice-President Coolidge about the matter, and this in itself is an evidence of some confusion of mind. If she wants to get information on the State rights question one would naturally expect her to interview a Southern Senator, or one would have expected this as the appropriate thing some years ago. Vice-President Coolidge's section was not on the State rights side of the controversy during the so-called Civil War. New England States repeatedly threatened to betake themselves out of the Union because they regarded their rights as invaded or ignored by the Federal government, but that was long ago, their "separate Northern Confederacy" scheme being especially agitated in 1803-4 and in 1812-14. It is true that the last time that Massachusetts talked of a "dissolution of the Union" was as late as 1843-5, but eleven Southern states actually betook themselves out of the Union—temporarily—some fifteen or more years later, and for many years after preached the old doctrine of State sovereignty which had been so badly shattered by the issue of the war of 1861-65.

Now, however, it is to be feared that Mme. Curie could get no more light, or no more definite views of this question from a Southerner than from a New Englander. The Southern man now upholding the old view that the Constitution is a mere compact between sovereign States, that these States should be free to make their own laws, and that they should resist every extension of the Federal power, would have to blind his eyes to much recent history, including the acts and the attitude of representative Southerners themselves. If the Southern States are to be judged by their votes on a great body of Congressional legislation, they no longer object to the surrender of once jealously guarded State rights or to the continuing encroachments of the central government. Some Southern representatives did indeed resist the forcing of woman suffrage on unwilling States, but only after they had joined in forcing prohibition on others equally unwilling. As North and South,

Republicans and Democrats alike have accepted the principle of Federal interference and control of domestic affairs. Mme. Curie will have to look for an instructor who will undertake to trace some other line or lines of cleavage between the two great American political parties.

AUTHORS SENT TO ITALY.

Richard Washburn Child has been appointed Ambassador to Italy. He succeeded Robert Underwood Johnson, who in turn succeeded Thomas Nelson Page. Three authors in succession have now been appointed to that great diplomatic post, and several others have received Italian consular appointments before and after President Lincoln sent William Dean Howells to Venice. The eagerness of American authors to secure government appointments in Italy requires to explanation. That beautiful land of sunshine, artistic atmosphere, historic background and picturesque population offers unusual inspiration to the writer as well as the artist, and of course American authors receiving diplomatic or consular appointments there expect to have time to continue their professional work.

From the author's point of view it is a delightful arrangement, but it is more than likely that the Italians, though too courteous to complain, would prefer to receive trained American diplomats and business men, particularly in times such as the present when Italy is straining every nerve to regain her economic strength after the great drain of war and the depression of post-war troubles. Although Italy is par excellence the land of poetry and the arts, its thinking and constructive elements are now chiefly interested in coal, iron, food and foreign trade. Unlike England, however, the United States has never sought systematically to develop a trained diplomatic and consular service, and possibly a modern author would be able to render as satisfactory service as four-fifths of the Americans who are sent to fill such government positions.

HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN ANYTHING?

The government is holding \$83,000,000 in interest past due on Liberty bonds aggregating in face value more than a billion dollars. The money has not been paid because the holders of the temporary bonds have not presented the bonds and secured their permanent bonds. There may be two explanations for the failure to collect the interest. Some people may not need the money and prefer to let the government keep it for them. Others may not understand the nature of the bonds they hold and do not know that they are entitled to exchange the bonds and get securities with interest coupons attached. As a matter of fact, the manner in which some of the securities were issued and sold was very confusing—almost as difficult to understand as the income tax requirements. It would be amazing if a lot of people of small business experience did not fail to collect not only the interest but the principle of the bonds. They were called upon to "subscribe until it hurts" and they did so. The Wilson-McAdoo regime gladly took the money and spent until it hurt even worse. The holders of a billion dollars worth of bonds are now suffering the disuse of money due them, possibly through the complicated methods by which the bonds were sold in the first instance.

The Junkers are already characterizing Germany's acceptance of the ultimatum as a scrap of paper, but the Allies are likely to see to it, as a part of their unfinished business, that it shall be something more.

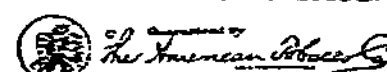
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MONUMENTS—Remember the dead. W. S. Cook & Co., with Lawrence Free Funeral Director.

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In spite of its errors that "sinner" list is performing a service, for men hitherto too indifferent to furnish the War Department any information about themselves are now said to be falling over each other and trying to move heaven and earth to get their names off the roll of dishonor.

The French scientist's scheme to change the sex of humans, even if successful, would not meet the world's need. The need is rather to put a check on those who exhibit symptoms of a desire to make such a change themselves.

It is announced that "talking" movies are to have a trial. They had one several years ago and the indistinct voice or noise behind the screen failed to keep up with the lip movements in the hurrying pictures.

Attorney-General Daugherty thinks "it is best not to agitate the agitator." Would not that depend on the sort of agitating the agitator wants to pull off?

A Philadelphia evangelist announces that "high hats and cutaway coats don't make Christians." Neither does preaching about small and unimportant matters.

Charges of American marine misrule and misconduct in Haiti, made by native politicians out of a job, were inevitable. The only wonder is that they were not presented before.

Enter the motorcycle highwayman, apparently eager to appropriate some of the limelight so long focussed on the automobile bandit.

Boston has been startled to find moonshiners and a still in the high society of its aristocratic Back Bay.

King's Watch Mark of Honor. The king's watch, which is regarded as one of the greatest honors the king of England can bestow, is awarded to secretaries of state only. The decoration consists of a gold hunter watch of exquisite workmanship. Inside the case is inscribed the words, "For Services Rendered.—George."

Dublin Castle Official Home. The vice-regal lodge in Dublin is the private home of the lord lieutenant of Ireland while he holds office. The official residence is Dublin castle, where all receptions, balls and other functions of state are held.

To Brighten Carpets. Brighten your carpets after the dust has been beaten out of them by scattering on them cornmeal mixed with salt, and then sweeping them off. Spots can be removed by the use of ox-gall or ammonia and water.

Says Uncle Eben. "I believe in art," said Uncle Eben. "an I wants it increased. But I hates to see a boy spendin' his life being a poor painter when he might of been a good white-washer."

The "Three Wise Monkeys." The "Little Apes of Nikko," some known as the "Three Wise Monkeys," are Mizumi, who sees no evil; Kikazumi, who hears no evil, and Marmar, who speaks no evil.

Suitable. "Yes, I'm engaged to a girl with a million dollars." "What does she look like?" "Like a million dollars."—Baltimore American.

Either or Both. Sometimes we think the world is growing worse and sometimes we think it is merely better informed.—The News.

Fortune's Uncertainty. The wheel of fortune incessantly is found, and who can say within itself, I shall today be uppermost—The News.

Twine Made of Asbestos. The twine made of asbestos is used for the butts of apparatus. It is made of acid is used for the butts of apparatus.

Notice To Road Contractors

Sealed proposals for the construction of the following sections of county roads, with necessary culverts will be received by the County Controller at Washington, Pa., until 12 o'clock noon June 21st, 1921. Bids to be opened at 1 p. m. on the same day in office of County Commissioners. The sections of roads herein advertised will be improved as provided by an Act of Assembly of May 11, 1911, known as the Adams' Bill. Plans, profiles and specifications may be seen at the County Engineers' Office, where forms of proposal blanks, instructions for bidding and terms of contract may be obtained. The sections of road above referred to are as follows:

New Construction

McMurray Road beginning at the eastern end of the County Brick Road near the John Baird residence and extending towards McMurray 5250 ft. more or less. This road is to be constructed with reinforced concrete 16 ft. wide.

Midway Road beginning on Railroad Street at the eastern end of line of Midway and extending westwardly via St. Johns and Dickson Streets to the western end of line a distance of 3256 ft. more or less. This road is to be constructed with reinforced concrete 16 ft. wide.

Resurfacing

Beallsville-Bentleyville Road beginning at the end of the concrete near the Greensboro Gas Co's pump station and extending towards Bentleyville a distance of 2 miles more or less. This road is to be resurfaced with reinforced concrete 15 ft. in width.

Claysville-Burnsville Road beginning at the end of line of Claysville and extending towards Burnsville 2100 ft. more or less. This road is to be resurfaced 18 ft. wide with brick on clay base with raised curb on one side.

Pike Run Road beginning at the Walker Covered Bridge and extending eastwardly to the Hands Bridge a distance of 1915 ft. more or less. This road is to be resurfaced with reinforced concrete 16 ft. wide.

Water Works Road beginning at the State Road on the Citizen's Water Company's property and extending in a southerly direction for a distance of 3700 ft. more or less. This road is to be resurfaced with asphaltic concrete. Willite or other bituminous material.

Each road must be bid on separately and a certified check for \$500.00 must accompany each bid. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

T. J. Underwood,
County Controller.

Chaney Engineering Co.,
County Engineers.

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Salt and Ice.

Mixing pounded ice and salt has the effect of producing what is called a freezing mixture. The mixture has a tendency to become brine, the ice melting and the salt dissolving in the water formed. To melt, however, it must absorb heat and this is taken from bodies with which it is in contact, such as water, cream, etc. In this way ice cream can be made.

Capital's Famous Avenue.

For some years after Washington became the national capital, Pennsylvania avenue was an unkept dirt roadway and at times virtually impassable, but when Thomas Jefferson became President he objected to the untidy road and the street was graded and put in fine condition at a cost of \$14,000, for the expenditure of which Jefferson was roundly abused.

Nests in the Dark.

Prairie-owls select the deserted burrows of the prairie-dogs; Chimney swifts construct their nests far down in dark sooty chimneys, says the American Forestry Magazine, while woodpeckers constitute other familiar examples of this, as do a vast host of other species of birds all over the world.

Austria's Hat Industry.

Of all the industries of Austria, there are few which are dependent to such a small extent on the importation of raw materials as the hat industry. The hair of rabbits and hares, which is used to such a great extent in certain lines, is produced almost entirely within Austrian frontiers.

Energy in Various Lamps.

According to an English scientist, candles and oil and gas lamps transform only 2 per cent of energy into light, incandescent electric lamps 3 per cent, are light 10 per cent, and the magnesium light, 15 per cent.

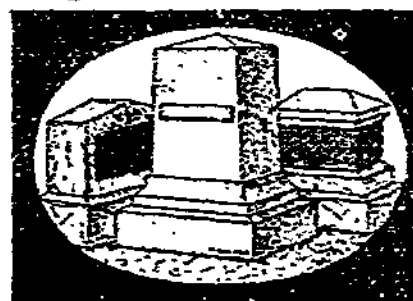
As She Saw the Elephant.

Little Catherine aged four, saw an elephant at a circus for the first time. Looking at it, she exclaimed: "Oh mamma, look at the fat horse with a tail near his eyes."

Marked.

Phrenologist—"Your son has a pronounced mathematical bump." The Son—"That's where papa hit me for being at the bottom of the arithmetic class."—American Legion Weekly.

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1913 Buick, 7 passenger, 6 cylinder, Cash payment.....	\$400.00
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1920 Maibohm, 5 passenger, 6 cylinder, Cash payment.....	\$350.00
1920 Columbia, 4 passenger, 6 cylinder, Cash payment.....	\$500.00
1920 Templar, 4 passenger, 4 cylinder, Cash payment.....	\$650.00
1920 Chandler, 7 passenger, 6 cylinder, Cash payment.....	\$500.00
1917 Mitchell, 3 passenger, 6 cylinder, Cash payment.....	\$350.00
1918 Maxwell, 3 passenger, 4 cylinder, Cash payment.....	\$350.00
1918 Overland, 4 passenger, 4 cylinder, Cash payment.....	\$400.00
1917 Ford, 5 passenger, 4 cylinder, Cash payment.....	\$250.00
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Beginning Tuesday, May 31st and ending Saturday, June 4th. will be known as Children's Week at this store. This event has been anticipated for weeks past. Everything has been done to collect stocks of garments of durable quality and attractiveness. The prices are very reasonable. This is an excellent time to get the child outfitted for Children's Day.

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Embroidered, ruffled and lace trimmed, sizes 10 years to 15 years. Priced.

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French Organdies and Dotted Swiss Dresses. beautiful shades and colorings, ages 2 to 14. Prices

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Pique collars and cuffs, patch pockets and self trimmed. All sizes. Priced

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Rub 'Em Tub 'Em. They come up smiling. In all white, blue, green and pink. All sizes. Priced

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"Hop-Scotch" Dresses. These are the latest novelty dresses, completely closed at the bottom. Made in the best gingham. A very sensible idea. Priced

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35 in. Radium Percals, light and dark patterns, excellent quality, (basement) yd 19c

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Woven stripe Madras Shirtings, regular \$5c value per yard 49c

42x36 Pillow Cases, plain hem, very good quality, each 23c

One lot Dress Gingham, pretty plaids, (basement,) yd 12 1-2c

Best grade Percal, nothing reserved, formerly 60c yd. all colors, figures and stripes per yd. 24c

Boys' heavy ribbed black Hose, all sizes, per pair 17c

Ladies' Gauze Vests that formerly sold at 25c now 19c

Ladies' Black Sport Hose, two tone effects, former \$2 values 79c

39 in. unbleached Muslin, extra fine quality, per yard 17c

36 in. Hope and Lonsdale Bleached Muslin, per yard 19c

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Permanent finish Organdies, 44 in. Imported Swiss Organdies, splendid assortment of colors, also white, yd \$1.00

Diamond Hill Bleached Cambric Muslin, per yard 19c

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81 in. Unbleached Sheeting, very good, heavy quality, regular 39c specials 29c

81 in. Bleached Sheeting, extra good quality, yard 48c

36 in. Indian Head, sale price yd 25c

54 in. Indian Head, sale price yard 39c

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—Gas and coal range, side board, library table, and book case. Goods may be seen and information as to price at Latham Storage building McKean avenue, Friday between 2 and 3 p. m. 13013

FOR SALE—House of six rooms and bath, hot air furnace, electric lights, both city and well water, garage, large corner lot 50x100, possession at once. Inquire 600 Shady avenue. 300-13

FOR SALE—2 lots 65x139 ft. Gas, water, sewers, electric lights and new garage 16x20 feet, corner Sixth and Oakland avenue. Also second hand door sash, pipe, bathroom fixtures, lumber, brick, stone and about 250 square ft. of marble slab. M. E. Rugg, 490 Lookout avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 301-16

FOR SALE—Strawberries. Inquire J. K. Winnett, Maple Creek Phone. 301-18p

FOR SALE—17 ft. Old Town canoe 2 paddles and back rest. In first class condition. Price \$35.00. Call 2-8 W. Monessen. 302-12

FOR SALE—Reduced from \$5300 to \$4900 for immediate sale. Semi-Lungalow 8 rooms, modern conveniences, large lot. See this today.

FOR SALE—About half value. See home and investment. Buff brick three flats, nearly new. fine addition, \$4000 cash will handle. Estate \$100. Moody Real Estate, 112 Fallowfield. 303-11p

FOR SALE—Gray baby carriage. Good condition. 524 Washington avenue. 303-11

FOR SALE—Two nice lots. Good location. Bargain to quick buyer. S. B. Lusk, Monessen, Pa. 239-W 303-12p

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. Inquire 616 Mail office. 300-13

FOR RENT—Five room house with acre of ground just outside borough line on car stop. Inquire 329 Fallowfield avenue \$20.00 per month. Possession at once 299-14p

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms with bath. Inquire 539 Fallowfield avenue. 300-13p

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Inquire 718 McKean avenue. 300-13p

FOR RENT—Two cheerful furnished rooms, both, housekeeping, 212 Washington. 303-14p

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 315 Fallowfield avenue. 299-15p

FOR RENT—Furnished room. Inquire 203 McKean Ave. 302-12p

FOR RENT—Two or three unfurnished rooms. Inquire 617 Charleroi Mail office. 303-13p

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. No children. 819 Fallowfield avenue. 303-12

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms. 627 Fallowfield avenue. 303-13p

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. Inquire 616 Mail office. 303-15

MAN WANTED to book orders for Nursery Stock and hire agents. Big pay. Exclusive territory. Free outfit. Emmens & Company, Newark, New York. 302-11p

WANTED—Three mealers, either males or gentlemen. Inquire Mrs. Provins, Bell Phone 132-R. 303-11

Candy-making business. Start at home. Everything furnished. Men. women \$50 weekly. Bon-Bon Co., Philadelphia, Pa. 291-130

LOST—Black velvet pocket book, with sum of money, between Lincoln and McKean on Eighth street. Return to Mrs. Geekie, 817 Lincoln avenue and receive reward. 303-13

LOST—Check and bank book on Pittsburg car. Reward if returned to 618 Mail office. 303-12p

Do you think it impossible to earn \$5,000 to \$7,000 in Charleroi. Bentleyville this year? It isn't if you are ambitious, can tell the truth and are a hustler. Write B. Care Weil Advertising Co., 305 Jenkins Building, Pittsburg, Pa. May 31-June 2-4

Johnson Corrected Goldsmith. Goldsmith's wrong interpretation of the first line in his own "Traveller"—"Remote, unfriended, melancholy, slow," is familiar. When asked, in the presence of Dr. Johnson, if by the word "slow" he meant "hardness of locomotion," Goldsmith said he guessed that was what he meant. But Dr. Johnson blurted out angrily, "No, sir, that was not what you meant. You meant that sluggishness of mind that comes upon a man in solitude." Whereupon Goldsmith agreed that that must have been the meaning he meant to convey.

Filling Cracks in Shoes. Cracks in shoes, at a point above the small toe of the wearer, may be easily repaired with gelatine, mixed with hot water to the consistency of glue. The crack is filled with the mixture, and the gelatine smoothed down flush with the leather, whereupon one or two coatings of formalin (40 per cent formaldehyde) are applied to the patch. The formalin has the effect of hardening the gelatine, making it waterproof, tough, and insoluble in water.

Embarrassing Moment. It happened when I made my first visit to my husband's people. My sister-in-law had made some cakes and had several yolks of eggs left and didn't know what she could do with them. I suggested she let me make scrambled eggs like I had seen my mother make, so nice and fluffy. But I put too much flour in the mixture and it came out so hard it was a task to cut through it with a knife.—Chicago American.

Firefly Illumination. The firefly is a well-known beetle of the elateridae family, which is able to throw out a strong and apparently phosphorescent light in the dark. The illumination is intermittent, and appears to be under the control of the insect's nervous system. Both the male and the female fireflies emit light, as well as the larvae, the eggs being luminous even while still in the body.

Monarch's Gift to Archers. Henry IV, king of France, made handsome gifts to the guild of archers, among others a gold chain, with a hawk attached, and a beautiful gold scepter, dating from about 1600, richly ornamented with a gold hawk and the arms of the guild emblazoned on it; at important functions this scepter is carried by the king of the archers.

Cultivate High Ideals. Set your ideals high. For if you set your aim high, you will have always something that is worthy of your faithfulness. To have that which by its very nature is a perpetual invitation, never stooping to you, but calling you; if you would enjoy it up into the higher regions is to be greatly stirred to faithfulness of conduct.

Wanted the "Prescription." One day when Lawrence was eating dinner at a friend's home the soup seemed to make a particular hit with him. After expressing the desire that his mother might learn how to make this kind of soup, he said: "Mrs. B. won't you please give me the prescription for this soup."

Johnie, aged five, was an enthusiast over automobilism. He had to sleep with his father one night, for the first time, and next morning he was greatly perturbed. "Mamma," he demanded "why does papa use the cutoff in his sleep?"

Only Source of Happiness. The man who has so little knowledge of human nature, as to seek happiness by changing anything but his own disposition, will waste his life in fruitless efforts, and multiply the griefs which he proposes to remove.—Colton.

Determination. A small boy came to the desk of the branch library and announced proudly: "I'm going to read over all the books I've ever read." Then he added, as an afterthought: "I've read three."

Faith Supreme. "I have no use for faith," said the man; "what I know I know." Then he went out and bought some wild cat mining stock and a second-hand motor car.—Christian Life.

Wordsworth's Study. When a traveler asked Wordsworth's servant to show him her master's study, she answered, "Here is his library, but his study is out of doors."—Thoreau.

According to Conspicuousness. And Tunkins says that of conspicuousness were a sign of merit the man who plays the bass viol would be probably the best musician in the orchestra.

Lines to Be Remembered. If a man look sharply and attentively, he shall see Fortune; for though she be blind, she is not invisible.—Lord Bacon.

Nobody's Safe. The most dangerous thing about a widow is her predilection for marrying the innocent bystander.—Kansas City Star.

Missouri Foresight. In preparing for the proverbial rainy day don't wait until it begins to sprinkle.—Jameson Gem.

Many times the bedbug has been accused of transmitting disease, but the investigating scientist of the United States public health service says the bug apparently has been charged with wrongdoing when not guilty, as the pest has no way save the mouth in which to carry germs and is too busy eating to make mouth-germs of any special danger. However, the flea, louse and mosquito have been convicted of being disease carriers.

Says—Uncle Eben. "Wuncapponner time," said Uncle Eben, "dar was a mouse dar said he could whip a cat or a bull terrier or anything. But every time he saw any critter on four legs 'cep another mouse, he hid hisself. De in-tire mouse population said he was a terrible fighter, an' if it wasn't for his mercy de cats an' de bull pups would be as extinct as buffaloes. Even a mouse kin be a conversation hero if he knows when to run."

Reflections Commercialized. Mirrors fascinate a good part of the world, including the Manchurians. A looking-glass is an absolute essential for a Manchurian matron; for without it she would never achieve her elaborate coiffure. No really smart young man of Manchuria will consider the purchase of a cigarette case or a purse unless it contains a small looking-glass, in which he may frequently observe his image.

To Remove Scars. Scars are difficult to eradicate, but a child or young person often will do time outgrow them. In some cases the scar tissue can be broken down and the appearance very much improved by electrical means. If one will be patient in steaming the scars and massaging regularly with a good cold cream this remedy will be of great help.

China's Great Holiday. The first week in March brings a great holiday throughout China, when the anniversary of the discovery of silk is celebrated with elaborate ceremonies, this year being, according to the Chinese, the 451st anniversary of the discovery of silk by Empress Shung-chi.

The Air We Breathe. A cubic foot of air weighs about one and three-tenths ounces. Thus it is reckoned that a single human individual breathes in 12 months six and one-fifth tons of air. To keep him alive for three score and ten years will require 430 tons of air. The population of the United States breathes annually 658,000,000 tons of air. The requirement for the entire population of the world is in the neighborhood of 10,500,000 tons.

"Gone to the Dogs." The ancient Romans called the ace in dice "canis," the Latin word for dog. To them three aces was to lose the pot in their gaming, whence came the saying "gone to the dogs" as a synonym for ruin or bad luck. The expression "dirty dog" means one morally filthy; one defiled with mere skin dirt is called a "dirty pig." Our literature is sprinkled with reference to the dog, many of them highly complimentary.

"Pandects." "Pandects" is derived from the Greek and means "all-containing." The Pandects of Justinian is a collection of Roman civil law, made by the Emperor Justinian in the Sixth century, containing legal decisions of judgments, to which the emperor gave the force and authority of the law. This compilation of 50 books is the most important of the body of the Roman civil law.

"Miss Nancy." This term is generally supposed to have originated in connection with Anna Oldfield, an actress of the Eighteenth century. Her vanity was so colossal that on her deathbed she requested that her remains be laid in state dressed in "very fine Brussels lace headress, a Holland skirt, with tucker and double ruffles, new kid gloves, etc."

Pimentoes Not Canned in Oil. The Department of Agriculture says that it is a mistaken idea that oil is added in canning pimentoes. They say that pimentoes contain in themselves a natural oil which is sufficient for the purpose. The real Spanish pimentoes are invariably canned in their own juices.

PATRIOT ASKS QUESTIONS

Mr. Editor:—

When was the practice of removing one's headgear during the singing or playing of the "Star Spangled Banner" rescinded? Or, has such a thing been done? Yesterday morning, during the playing of our national anthem, the so-called "hunkies" reverently moved their hats, while two of our prominent local officials, deep in conversation, and seeking some visible means of physical support, failed to observe this mark of respect to our flag. To say the least, such disrespect is unpardonable! A pretty example, wasn't it? And, may I add, this act created considerable comment.

Another thing. Why are a lot of speed mad automobilists permitted to mar the pleasure of others, while trying to listen to the utterances of such a renowned man as Dr. W. H. Temple, and allowed to roam aimlessly in the vicinity of the exercises? Wasn't it possible for the police to direct such persons to Fallowfield avenue, or some other thoroughfare, where they wouldn't interfere with the pleasure and comfort of others? A Patriot

Mentality of Tropical Peoples. The emotional mentality of tropical peoples is well known. It is not only a remarkable belief, but a fact easily demonstrated by scientific observation and will be proved that the excessive use of sugar could produce such results. Only recently a Bengalese scientist has found that the blood of tropical peoples contains a higher percentage of sugar than others.—New York Medical Journal.

Would Spare Daddy's Feelings. Marion is fond of her daddy and never wishes to hurt his feelings. One day she ate too much candy and made herself so sick she had to go to bed. Every little while her daddy would go in to see how she was, and finally, when he went in, before he had time to ask her, she said: "Don't ask me, daddy, for I will have to tell you I feel worse."

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